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You Are Coming Empire Day To The Gleichen Races and Sports

Creamery Has Record Output

The Gleichen creamery during the month of April produced 1,451 lbs. of butter, which is considerably more than during any month last year, and it is fully expected that the creamery will not turn out less than 2,000 pounds for May, judging from the way cream is coming in already. This is indeed encouraging, considering that only now the grass is beginning to grow, and that as all observant people are aware that with the grass cows will invariably increase the supply. Furthermore, the directors are hopeful of not only paying off all indebtedness this year, but expect a small dividend may be paid.

This is most pleasing to the CALL and all those who endeavored to boost the creamery at the time the company was formed.

It will be remembered that at the time of formation there was much dissension and that many who took shares and promised to supply the cream from cows failed to abide by their contracts. Fortunately, however, there were more who had the stamina to stay with their promises and work out the difficulties they were confronted with, and as a result to day we find the creamery quite a popular institution.

Practically every one of our store keepers are now handling the Gleichen creamery butter and their only complaint is that they cannot get enough of it to supply the demands of their customers. One merchant remarked the other day that nearly every customer was telephoning or coming in with the explicit order for Gleichen creamery butter, and he was pleased to say the quality was improving.

The directors are doing their utmost to get in the cream as far north as Standard, and are arranging to bring it from Queenstown as well as east and west, so that in a very short time the plant should be working to its full capacity.

They are also considering the advisability of adding machinery for manufacturing cheese, and also the handling of eggs.

The popular firm of Rowe, Rowe and Rowe have been awarded a recently contested painting contract by the C.P.R. of 1,613 650 square feet of painting at various points, including Carmangay, Broxburn, Vulcan, Aeneas and Coronation. Manager Robert Rowe states that the firm will open branches at each of these points, and that the work already contracted for this spring will easily surpass last year's work. It will be remembered that this firm was chosen most favorably the last year with the largest firms in Calgary, Edmonton and other cities in the west in regard to the painting handled by individual firms.

Jos. McFarlane and bride returned Saturday evening from their honeymoon trip to Banff, and are now located in their home on Eighth avenue. Joe's many young friends reminded him of their friendship that night by rendering all the newest tunes the town band is possessed of. From the pitched key of the coal-oil can to the click of the sardine, all notes were sounded a million or more times, after which Joe proved himself quite equal to the occasion and entertained his friends royally.

The Catholic Bazaar

The bazaar held in the Opera House last Friday afternoon and evening in aid of St. Victor's church proved most successful both socially and financially, netting \$187.45, which amount does not include the profits from the lunch served at the dance, which should easily make the amount over \$200.

On entering Miss Kate Gooderham as police officer captured each person and presented them to the judge, Miss Dickie, who required the modest admission fee of 10c, but in case any one evaded the police—as the CALL man succeeded in doing for a time—just double the amount. Liberated, it was found there was a love letter at 10c in the post-office, then for another dime he could fish for 15c have his fortune told, while for 15c more he could enter a musical contest or a conundrum contest. Another 15c allowed a guess on a lucky number for a pretty lace collar and a hand-painted cushion. There was also an opportunity to purchase a great profusion of art work, flowers, etc., kindly given by ladies of the church, or treat yourself girl to ice cream and cake. The contests were announced as follows: Love Collar—Miss Dora Brosseau; Hand Painted Cushion—Mr. Jos. Chayer.

Musical contest—Mrs. W. Rose; Conundrums—Mr. Watson, who won by tossing coins with Messrs. Ramsey and Yeomans, each having correctly answered all the questions.

After the announcement of the prizes several pleasant hours were spent in dancing.

The ladies of the Roman Catholic church are in luck to be congratulated on the success of the Bazaar.

The CALL would like to announce the result of the raffle in connection with the church as requested by the men employed on the Southern Alberta Land Company's works, but we are not quite sure that we would not be liable to a fine of \$50 under the Lord's Day Alliance Act.

What is the matter with our baseball boys this year? The Bow Valley League is surely not to fall out of existence when there is a handsome trophy to compete for, which Strathmore now holds. It seems that Bessano and Strathmore are no more active in organizing this season than Gleichen, while Cluny and Namaka are anxious to defeat any or all of them. Wake up boys and you will find the fans ready.

The box social and dance at Cluny a week ago proved most successful and netted the Baseball club a handsome sum of \$34.50. The players say this is only an indication of the success they will enjoy this season when they meet Gleichen, Bessano, Strathmore, Namaka and other towns.

The land surrendered by the Blackfoot Indians is steadily increasing in value. W. R. McKie, formerly manager of the Bank of Commerce, sold a quarter section last week at an advance of \$1900 on his purchase price, without any improvements.

The fellow who prophesied that this would be a dry season will now have to make another guess.

From the quantities of supplies arriving at Gleichen it would appear the S. A. L. Co. are arranging for a vast amount of work.

Fun in Plenty, Saturday, May 24

Saturday, May 24th, promises to be one of the most enjoyable days Gleichen has known as the committee in charge of the races for that day are doing their best to make Empire day one that will be long remembered in Gleichen.

Already the fences surrounding the track have been repaired and put in good condition and the track has been harrowed and levelled, while the many who own horses of merit are getting them into shape for the various events.

It is not so much the going in for the winning of big prizes on Empire day as it is to have a general good day's sport and fun and it is hoped all will enter into the spirit that the Agricultural Association directors and the committees appointed are aiming at.

To mix a little fun with the usual exciting races it is expected that the "slow" race, the cowboy race and the mule race will provide plenty. As an instance it may be well to explain that in the "slow" race every man is supposed to enter the slowest horse he has and that at the start he must exchange with his neighbor who thinks he has one a little slower. Then each driver is compelled to drive as fast as he can without the use of whips or hobbles to leave his own horse behind. Surely this will be exciting.

The following is the program:—

Half-mile Trot or Pace, open, 3 heats,	Purse \$50
Half-mile Trot or Pace, Farmer's, 3 heats,	" 35
Horses run on Associated Tracks barred	
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Half-mile Local, open,	" 15
One mile, open,	" 25
Half mile Indian,	" 5
Half mile Ladies' Race	" 15

Evening	
One mile Indian,	Purse \$ 8
Half-mile Slow Race	" 20
Driving without whip or hobbles	
Cowboy Race	" 10
Half-mile Mule Race	" 15
Post Entries—4 to enter, 3 to start.	Entry Fee—
Five per cent of purse.	

Mrs. W. R. McKie returned Monday to Calgary, with her children, after spending a couple of weeks visiting her parents in Gleichen, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Larkin.

The sum of \$632 and costs is a lot to pay for weeds and it is safe to say that many a man will do his utmost to avoid anything of the kind happening him.

Mrs. Harrison's new residence on Sixth Avenue is approaching completion. Robt. McMillan has the contract, but will not admit there is a wedding in sight.

An entertainment and concert is to be given at the Gleichen Opera House on Friday, June 6th, under the auspices of the North Camp Mission on the Blackfoot Reserve. Those who were present at the two previous entertainments have asked for another—and we are assured that the coming effort will be even more successful and entertaining than either of the previous ones which is saying a great deal. We would advise our friends to take a note of the date and to secure tickets early.

A car of Robin Hood and Key-note flour arrived at the Busy Store on Monday morning. Read Ramsey's ad. in this issue.

This year there are many beautiful gardens being laid out in Gleichen and the competition for the best is quite keen. Let the good work continue and we will have a "Gleichen Beautiful."

The good work of cleaning up the yards in Gleichen is going on nicely and Chief Roberts hopes he will not be obliged to call attention to any.

A pretty wedding took place at St. Andrew's church on Wednesday, May 7th, when Mr. George A. Harvey and Miss Fanny Maud Woods, both of Gleichen, were duly united in the bonds of holy matrimony by Rev. E. Cox Clarke. The bride was given away by Rev. Mr. Gandier, and was accompanied by Miss Terry as bridesmaid, while the groom was supported by Mr. Ramsbottom. The bride was gowned in white point d'esprit, embroidered over white satin and when the happy couple left that afternoon for Banff, to spend a week at the Chateau, she wore a travelling suit of blue and a pretty blue hat. Before leaving, Miss Larkin entertained the party at buffet luncheon and at the depot the showers of rice proved the popularity of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey in Gleichen. Their many friends join in wishing them a long, happy and useful life. Among the numerous presents may be mentioned a solitaire diamond ring the present of the groom to his bride.

The body of Louis Pullano was recovered one day last week below the S. A. L. Co.'s dam, who has been missing since Aug. 19th of last year. It was not known at the time whether he had left the works or met with an accident. Coroner Girvin of Strathmore was called after which the deceased's brother arrived from Calgary and identified the badly decomposed body on its removal to G. W. Evans' undertaking establishment at Gleichen Tuesday night, from where the funeral took place yesterday to the Catholic cemetery.

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(Continued)

A footman? Oh, David! cried Mrs. Durand with deep emotion.

Joan did not speak, but she looked at her father more distrustfully than ever.

What? he exclaimed, no gratitude yet? Ah, how sharper than a serpent's tooth it is to have a thankless child. But there—my parental heart is torn, yet it submits. Joan, do you remember the little man who was in the room with you?

The man you locked in with me, she asked, as if you meant to leave us both to be burnt alive?

Oh, we did not mean to burn you, he answered quickly, and we let you out again you know. But mind, mind, Joan Durand, if you are not careful, some day perhaps, a worse fate may overtake you.

It could not, she answered from the depths of her bitterness. Fate did its worst against me when it made me your daughter.

Ah, you have a tongue, he muttered, giving her a look of malignant hate. Well I have determined to reward this man by making him your footman here. He crossed to the door and opened it. Come in, Green, he called.

At his summons, Green, the little escaped convict entered, looking sulky, frightened, and by no means too pleased with the situation in which he found himself.

This is your mistress, Green, Mrs. Durand—and that is my daughter, Miss Joan. The service you were able to do her, she will, of course, requite with deep gratitude, but you must not therefore consider yourself privileged. Miss Joan has her own standards.

Nobody else said anything. Green himself, looked puzzled, and Joan did not attempt to hide her distrust. Mrs. Durand's feeble pride at the idea of having a man-servant had already evaporated and she appeared on the verge of tears again. Looking rather disappointed, Mr. Durand shrugged his shoulders impatiently as if he had hoped for something different.

Well, he said, I must take Green to the kitchen and instruct him in his new duties. I have also a friend or two coming to whom I wish to talk in private. So you two go upstairs and chat over your dresses and don't put your noses outside your door till I summon you. Joan, I quite forgot to ask how your head is today.

He approached his daughter, who watched him coming with a kind of shuddering abhorrence, but it was evident, dared make no protest or sign of resistance. Lifting his hand while he kept his eyes fixed intently on hers, he parted slightly the hair she had drawn over her forehead, so as to show the ugly, livid bruise underneath. Some instinct of cruelty he had, some sheer delight in causing pain, made him touch the bruise heavily with his finger. She could not prevent a slight exclamation of pain.

Oh, I say, exclaimed Green protestingly, for if he did not pain himself he had at any rate the quality of not wishing to inflict it on other people.

Ah, that was Billy Man, said Du-

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rand gloating. Off with you now, he added roughly to the two shrinking women; and as they obeyed him—Mrs. Durand scuttling first with little gasps of fear, and Joan following slowly with a kind of haughty and reluctant doubt—Green hurried to open the door for them. Joan, as she passed, was somehow aware that in the quick momentary glance he gave her there was sympathy and a kind of friendship.

How strange, she thought as she slowly ascended the stairs, and she was so unused to sympathy or friendship that she felt her heart beating with a certain agitation. Can it be—but father has brought him here—he must be very wicked for father to have brought him here—yet God knows we need a friend.

Slowly, wondering much to herself, she went on up the stairs, and just as she reached her own room where Mrs. Durand was sitting trembling by the fireplace, there came a loud, hurried knocking at the front door.

CHAPTER VIII A Consultation

At a gesture from Durand, Green opened the door, and at once there entered that tall, powerfully-built man with the wicked, yellow-tinted face whom earlier in the day the poet, Wilton Mayne, had dismissed from his chambers. Durand looked at him with a certain air of surprise and disappointment as though he had expected some one else, and wondered why the quadroom had come.

What's the matter, Sid Monday? Durand asked. What are you here at this time for?

For all answer Monday poured out a stream of oaths and curses, directed apparently against everybody and anybody, including Durand himself. But Durand, while appearing to be quite indifferent to this personal abuse yet listened with an increasing air of uneasiness.

Shut up that row, Monday, he said at last, and tell us what is wrong. Where is Billy Man?

That for Billy Man, cried Monday, with a fresh string of oaths, but Wilton Mayne has sacked me.

Why, you fool, cried Durand furiously, what have you been doing?

Wasn't doing nothing, said Monday sulkily, only that big Thorold fellow came.

Yes—well—well—said Durand eagerly while Green indulged in a private curse at the name of the man who had saved him, but none the less he hated bitterly.

Well, Monday continued, of course I knew how important it was to find out how much Thorold knew and what he meant to do—and so—and then he paused, looking deprecatingly at Durand, who made an angry and impatient movement.

And so, he said, like the senseless nigger that you are, you tried to listen and managed so clumsily that they found you out and kicked you into the street.

Don't you call me a nigger, said Monday hoarsely. No, don't you call me a nigger. He looked slowly and sideways at Durand, his great form shaking with a rage that it seemed he could hardly control. No, don't you call me a nigger, he repeated for the third time.

His aspect was so threatening that Durand's hand went quickly behind him to his hip pocket. With eyes blazing and bloodshot, Monday took a soft step forward, his own hand clutching something hidden in his breast-pocket, and then Green interposed.

Here, I say, now then, he protested shrilly, what are you two coves spurring about? Ain't you no more sense than getting quarrelling?—and neither one of you with so much as a drop of drink in you he added with infinite reproach.

Well, what does he call me a nigger for? asked Monday in the same soft tones that were so odd a contrast to his usual blustering rage. No one shall call me a nigger—ain't I a white man? he asked of Green, who hurriedly agreed. Ain't I a white man? he asked of Durand, and his whole great form gathered itself in readiness for a leap that nothing but death might stay.

I'll tell you what you are, cried Durand, his hand all ready on the pistol he grasped in his hip pocket, you are a white fool, a white brute, a white—

and for the next two or three minutes he hurled at Monday every epithet of abuse and insult he could lay his tongue to, introducing however each new epithet with the same adjective, white.

Spoke like a true gentleman, said Monday with an air of relief when Durand at last paused for breath, and I ain't denying but what it's a piece of rotten bad luck.

Billy Man would have told us everything in time, complained Durand. And you spoil it all for the sake of getting the information a bit earlier.

Yes, but who knows when Billy Man will come back, retorted Monday. It is weeks sometimes, you know—weeks. When he does come back—do you think he will remember about this?

Of course he will, retorted Durand. Doesn't he always remember everything perfectly? and I wouldn't like to be you then, either.

Well—can't help it, if he is mad, Monday muttered, looking however, rather uneasy.

I don't know what we shall do I'm sure, muttered Durand, unless we can make Wilton Mayne take you back, and that is not likely. I'm afraid I am too old to go myself—I wonder if I could introduce the missis and Joan there as his servants—by jove, that's an idea—you know Wilton Mayne was saying he would look out for a respectable woman for house-keeper. Joan is so obstinate though—well, we must think of it. And now let's go down to the kitchen and get something to eat. By the way, Monday, this is Joe Green I told you about.

Happy to meet you sir, said Monday, with a polite bow to the astonished Green, and to congratulate you, sir, on your successful evasion from your place of compulsory detention. You are a gentleman I'm proud to have the privilege of making the acquaintance of.

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Thank 'e kindly, sir, said Green, touching his forehead mechanically, and quite overwhelmed by this torrent of flowery language, which was in fact, a sure indication that Monday was returning to his normal state of mind, in which nothing pleased him so much as any opportunity to use long words.

I heard of the Catford Street affair, continued Monday, and I am highly delighted to meet the gentleman who participated in it. I remember it well, and I have often wondered why after you had dispatched his life—

For God's sake, interrupted Green, trembling violently and making with his hand as if to thrust away some horrid vision from before him.

Why, what's up? asked Monday in genuine surprise.

It is an episode of Mr. Green's career, said Durand with his evil mocking smile, that he does not care to be reminded of.

(To Be Continued)

GERMAN ROYAL WEDDING

Prince May be Asked to Renounce English Title

Berlin.—The Rhenish Westphalian Gazette, Essen, one of the leading organs of the German armor-plate press, expresses the wish that Prince Ernest, heir of the duke of Cumberland, who is engaged to the kaiser's daughter, may be induced to renounce his British title of prince before his marriage.

Owing to the death of King George of Greece, brother of the duchess of Cumberland, the royal wedding, according to the Tageblatt, will be as simple as possible, and only the immediate relatives of the two families will be present. The duke of Cumberland's visit to Potsdam is postponed until after the king's funeral.

Airmen Taken for Spies

Berlin.—Two airmen, on alighting at Neupfalz, Germany, though wearing the uniforms of officers of the German Uhlans, were taken for foreign spies and chased by a hostile crowd to the police station where their identity was subsequently established.

Isn't his life insured?

Yes.

Then what does his wife worry so about for?

She says she thinks it will be a perfect shame if his second wife gets all that money.

When a girl doesn't find the front porch or the hammock attractive her mother begins to fear she meditates a career.

A man likes the statement that he has risen to the top of the ladder. A woman resents the intimation that she wasn't always there.

FRIENDS HELP St. Paul Park Incident

"After drinking coffee for breakfast I always felt languid and dull, having no ambition to get to my morning duties. Then in about an hour or so a weak, nervous derangement of the heart and stomach would come over me with such force I would frequently have to lie down."

Tea is just as harmful, because it contains caffeine, the same drug found in coffee.

"At other times I had severe headaches; stomach finally became affected and digestion so impaired that I had serious chronic dyspepsia and constipation. A lady, for many years State President of the W.C.T.U., told me she had been greatly benefited by quinine coffee and using Postum; she was troubled for years with asthma. She said it was no cross to quit coffee when she found she could have as delicious an article as Postum."

"Another lady, who had been troubled with chronic dyspepsia for years, found immediate relief on ceasing coffee and using Postum. Still another friend told me that Postum was a God-send, her heart trouble having been relieved after leaving off coffee and taking on Postum."

"So many such cases came to my notice that I concluded coffee was the cause of my trouble and I quit and took up Postum. I am more than pleased to say that my days of trouble have disappeared. I am well and happy."

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FANATIC FOLLOWERS GO MAD

Russian Peasants Who Believe That Christ Lived in Russia, Not Palestine

St. Petersburg, Russia.—An Archangel correspondent sends a moving description of the sufferings of the Moldavian peasants who in mid-winter followed the fanatical monk Innocentius over 1000 miles from the Podolia government to the Muromsky monastery, on the Onega river, where he was banished.

Ragged, starving and frost-bitten, death threatened them all on the snowy wastes when the Archangel authorities sent a force of rural guards to stop their march and arrest their leader and telegraphed to the Red Cross Society, urgently asking for medical aid. Some of the pilgrims had money in comparative plenty, for before starting northwards they had sold their belongings, but it was of no avail to them in the frozen wilderness.

Their number was underestimated in the first account. It was well over 1000, including a great proportion of women and children. They were sent back to their homes by train in warmed vans. The correspondent witnessed the departure of one party from the station of Nilandoma. Frost-bitten cheeks, ears, fingers and toes were the rule rather than the exception. Nearly all the pilgrims were begrimed with dirt. Many women and children were in hysterics. The occupants of one van were squatted on the floor praying with open Bibles before them.

The correspondent questioned the pilgrims as to the hold which Innocentius had over them. Incredible as it may sound in the twentieth century, in a civilized country, the following is the gist of the replies he received:

The followers of Innocentius knew that Jesus Christ had appeared in the Onega region and not in Palestine. He was seized there, but was taken elsewhere for crucifixion. Alpha and Omega in the Revelation of St. John designated our Lord and Innocentius (Reference has been made in telegrams to the confusion of the peasants between Omega and Onega). Otherwise why was there housing room for 1000 persons in the Muromsky monastery when the monks only numbered 100? This was the work of the Lord. They had been shown a picture of Innocentius portrayed as Jesus Christ with a nimbus encircling his head and a cross and chalice in his hands.

The arrest of Innocentius only served to confirm their belief in his divinity, and they recounted how, when the rural guards came to arrest him, and one of the guards tried to fire a blank cartridge in order to intimidate them, his rifle had misfired three times.

A similar miracle had occurred previously at Balta, in Podolia, when an ispravnik (police officer) insulted Innocentius and advanced towards him threateningly. Innocentius looked straight into his eyes, and said quietly: Neither thy hand nor thy foot shall stir, and the ispravnik stopped dead, as though paralyzed.

On being confronted by the rural guards the pilgrims gathered round Innocentius, and had to be dragged away before the monk could be arrested. The vice governor of Archangel approached. Innocentius: Where are you going? he asked him. I am going to seek the new Zion, was the answer, and the crowd of pilgrims repeated in song: We are going to seek the new Zion.

Innocentius' followers to the far north included his mother and five sisters. When he was at Balta, he attracted thousands of pilgrims to the local monastery by the power with which he was credited of casting out devils. There is an appalling amount of lunacy in that part of Russia, generally ascribed to the peasantry eating a paste of unripe maize instead of leavened bread.

The Balta district became an absolute inferno of the mad, numbers of whom were brought there in bonds. Treason of Innocentius' banishment. Several impartial investigators maintain that there was nothing immoral in his teaching or his life.

ARM-IN-ARM WALKING BANNED

Father Taking His Daughter to School One Exception to Rule

Paris, France.—The old-fashioned habit of a man and a woman walking arm-in-arm in public has long gone out of fashion, says the Paris Excelsior.

In its columns a discussion on the subject is taking place, especially on the point: Should the woman place her arm within that of the man, or should he take hers?

The spectacle of people walking arm-in-arm is, says the Excelsior, beginning to become quite sensational—unless they are a father taking his daughter to school. Whereas in former days the lady timidly placed her hand within the arm of her cavalier, lightly resting on his sleeve, the up-to-date couple walk coldly aloof, the man with both hands behind his back, the woman with both hers in her muff.

There is a time when self-respecting people may permit themselves to walk arm-in-arm. It is when they are on holiday, in the country, in hours of peaceful reverie, when all things in nature seem to hold hands. It is an attitude which demands a certain intimacy, a gentleness of gait and contemplativeness of mien.

No, decidedly, says the Parisian, let us not bring back this arm-in-arm fashion to Paris. The picture is drawn of a young man of a type which is seen frequently in the streets, who takes a girl's arm with a sort of jujitsu grip, grasping her hand and wrist, holding her elbow as in a vice and by the leverage of his arm forcing her to walk with one shoulder hunched up and the other lowered. The object appears to be that the man may propel his companion, much as a policeman might propel a recalcitrant offender to the police station.

This is clearly not to be compared for gracefulness with the fashion of a generation ago, when the lady hung lightly on the arm of a strong and dashing escort.

The unsuccessful person is usually the one who is just a second too late.

Evening on the Farm (Thirty Years Ago)

John, have you wound the clock? Yes, dear?
And put out the cat? Yes, dear.
And locked the door? Yes, dear.
Then you can come to bed.

(Today)

Rudolph, have you locked the safe? Yes.
And put the auto in the garage? Yes.
And shut off the dynamo in the basement? Sure, Mike.

All right, you can roll into the hay now.

Needs Assistance

Black has a terrible temper.

So I have heard.

It seems as though he can't control it.

I have noticed that it always takes a bigger man than he is to control it for him.

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Found His Place

You know that old tightwad Jenks?

Sure.

Well, he goes to the theatre now regularly once a week.

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Evidence

Seen Mrs. Gayboy lately?

No. Why?

She has a new Paris gown and a new diamond bracelet.

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The Foe of Indigestion.—Indigestion is a common ailment and few are free from it. It is a most distressing complaint and often the suffering attendant it is most severe. The very best remedy is Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, taken according to directions. They rectify the irregular action of the stomach and restore healthy action. For many years they have been a standard remedy for dyspepsia and indigestion and are highly esteemed for their qualities.

More Fitting

He fell in love with the teacher.

Is he so young as that?

You mean to say, is she so young?

Probably I meant to ask are both so young?

Some people are so perfectly honest that they won't take a single thing from your house.

Yes, some won't even take their departure.

The Nerve of Him

You know Brewer?

Yes.

What does he do for a living?

Nothing. He just lives without any excuse.

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Hard on Her

Poor Mabel! I think her father is so mean to her!

What's the trouble?

You know how nicely she and Charlie are getting on?

Yes.

Well, now her father tells her that he can't afford to pay for a new gown as long as she runs the parlor lights five nights in the week.

Nearly all children are subject to worms, and many are born with them. Spare them suffering by using Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, the best remedy of the kind that can be had.

He Had Discovered

Why do they call this the century run? asked the fluffy young thing leaning far out to see what was going on.

Because, replied the man who was fooling with the bolts and valves of the bucking auto, it takes a century to make it.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

How He Would Get Them

Willie, if your brother gave you two apples and your sister gave you two more, how many would you have?

I would have four.



ROYAL YEAST

MAKES LIGHT WHOLESOME BREAD. REFUSE SUBSTITUTES

MADE IN CANADA

The Modern View
He married his affinity.
He did?
Yes.
Mercy! I never heard of such a thing!
Why shouldn't he?
But they aren't affinities after they are married.

Worms are encouraged by morbid conditions of the stomach and bowels, and so subside. Miller's Worm Powders will alter these conditions almost immediately and will sweep the worms away. No destructive parasite can live in contact with this medicine, which is not only a worm destroyer, but a health-giving medicine most beneficial to the young constitution and as such it has no superior.

No Such Thing
She said I was rather young.
She did?
Yes, and that friend of hers said: Oh, well, she'll get over it.
Mean thing.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.
GOOSE-STEP FOR GIRLS

International Congress of Physical Education Open in Paris
Paris.—The international congress and exhibition of physical education was inaugurated at the Sorbonne recently, by President Poincaré. The delegate from Turkey declared that part of the defeat inflicted by the allies on the Turks was due to the physical inferiority of the Turks. Among the displays given was one by fifty girls from the Royal Institute of Gymnastics at Turin, whose ages ranged from 15 to 25. They were all well built and vigorous, and wore loose white blouses with navy blue divided skirts and black stockings. It seemed impossible to tire them and their closing exercise, a staccato Italian variation of the goose-step, caused much laughter.

Aesthetic Girl
Maude has broken her engagement with Harry.
For what reason?
She says with her dark blue disposition and his pink hair she is afraid that they would not be able to harmonize the house furnishings.

Nothing Uncertain About Him
Do you know anything about Binks?
Binks?
Yes. He has applied to me for a job, and I want to know if he is reliable.
You bet.
Is he?
He is. You can rely on him to carry away anything that isn't being sat upon by the owner and to lie when he's cornered.

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Saved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

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FRENCH ARMY CHEERED

Remarkable Patriotic Outburst at Annual Review of the Garrison of Paris

Paris, France.—Three hundred thousand Parisians turned out to cheer at the Vincennes review the 30,000 men who form the garrison of Paris. Although the review is an annual affair it was made a national holiday. The president of the republic drove out Vincennes in a landau drawn by four horses with armillaries riding postilion. The minister of war sat by him in the carriage, and General Joffre, the general-in-chief, of the French army, sat opposite.

Mme. Poincaré had driven out in another carriage. It was her first public appearance without her husband since he became president of the republic.

The crowd in the streets was enormous and enthusiastic. At Vincennes at 12 o'clock the crowd formed a circle five miles in circumference. At 2 o'clock, when the cannon thundered their welcome, the circle stretched back in a black mass, which burst into a yell of wild cheering when the president arrived.

Thirty thousand men—zouaves, light infantry, the line, artillery, marines and cavalry—were passed in review by the president, marched by the tribune and then charged with wonderful effect in a thunder of cannonading.

The troops, who were in campaign kit, marched back to barracks through the streets with their hands playing and amid scenes of great enthusiasm everywhere.

The Socialists had organized a great open-air meeting in Paris as a counter-demonstration against the three years army bill. They had joined forces with the anarchists, and black and red flags were carried, though the police refused to let their banners unfurl them. The speeches against the bill were extremely violent.

One speaker said: As they want war, we will give them civil war—war of class against class, war between you who are listening to me and those who are out at Vincennes.

It is reported from Andrietta that a recruit named Ponc ello was disqualified by the examining council as he had lost the use of the forefinger of his right hand. When he was informed that if he had lost the finger altogether he would have been accepted he declared that he would undergo the necessary operation. The finger was amputated and he was placed on the active list.

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COUNTRESS LOSES JEWELRY

Victim of Three Clever Swindlers She Accidentally Meets in Cafe
Berlin, Germany.—A Russian woman Countess Skosireff, has fallen a victim to three accomplished Berlin swindlers, losing in their company jewelry valued at \$35,000.

The countess, who appears to be of a very unsophisticated nature, had been spending some time on the Riviera. Returning home via Berlin, she had some hours to wait for a train to St. Petersburg, and she employed the interval by visiting a well-known Berlin cafe. She sat down at a table occupied by a pretty girl, who told the countess that she was an actress waiting for her husband.

This gentleman soon arrived, introducing himself with a high-sounding aristocratic name. Another man presently joined the party and he was also introduced as of noble and ancient lineage. All were very agreeable together, and one of the men proposed visits to other cafes and finally to a cinematograph theatre.

At this last place of entertainment the woman it was suggested, should put in the cloak-room not only her wraps but a hand-bag to which she appeared very much attached. She parted with the bag, she said, with great unwillingness, as it contained her jewelry, but the Berlin nobles told her that it would be all right and that they would guarantee its safety.

During the performance the woman noticed that the young actress and her husband had retired. She asked for an explanation from her other companion, and was told that they were telephoning, but as they were so long about it he would just step out and see. He did not return either. The countess, growing alarmed, as one of the noblemen had her cloakroom ticket, left the theatre, and was informed by the cloak-room woman that the bag had been given up on the presentation of the ticket by one of the men. The woman rushed off to the police, but so far there has been no trace of the thieves.

Breaking It to Him Gently
Maude, will you marry me?
Well, Charlie, I'll think about it.
What will you think about it?
Some very uncomplimentary things I am afraid.

Because a millionaire subscribes beamingly to a fresh air fund, don't assume that it is safe to leave a railroad or a little unprotected trust lying round in his vicinity overnight.

Particular
How do you like the little girl who has just moved in next door, Mabel?
My mamma doesn't let me play with her.
Don't you like her?
Uh-huh!
Then why doesn't your mother let you play with her?
'Cause she never wants me to play with people's little girls who call their maids 'hired girls.'

Grating
Life is just one grand sweet song.
Huh!
Well!
That may be, but too blamed many of us can't find the tune for the variations, and the rest are mostly off the key.

Sure Enough
There's no curse like ill health.
Oh, I don't know. It has its uses.
Name one.
It has got several notable persons out of the penitentiary.

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This is the experience of J. P. Durand, a well known resident of Burton's Corners. In thousands of homes Nerviline is used every day. If a little child has a sick stomach, just a few drops will suffice. If there is any bowel disorder or diarrhoea, only a small dose is required. Inwardly or outwardly, wherever there is pain or inflammation, Nerviline will always relieve quickest and cure surest of any remedy known. Family size, 50c.; small bottle 25c., at all storekeepers and druggists, or The Catarrhzone Co., Buffalo, N.Y.

Wonderful what a difference good fortune makes to a man. It often enables people who haven't known him for years to recognize him on the street.

Poor Substitutes
He had no aunt to go to.
Nor aunt that had a cent.
And so the careless sluggard
On to his 'uncle' went.

What is more pathetic than a middle aged person trying to make himself and others believe he is young?

The man who is anxious to oblige never gets rusty for lack of opportunity to practice his theory.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

You can never tell what a man is until you have seen him tested by prosperity as well as adversity, and then you can only hazard a guess.

It is easy enough to be good when the devil has nothing really interesting in sight.

No Rest With Asthma. Asthma usually attacks at night, the one time when rest is needed most. Hence the loss of strength, the nervous debility, the loss of flesh and other evils which must be expected unless relief is secured. Fortunately relief is possible. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has proved its merit through years of service. A trial will surely convince you.

The trouble is the politicians don't just understand what would happen to the graft industry if women were permitted to misuse themselves with the little white ballot.

Occasionally we meet a man whose idea of getting even with a fellow he doesn't like consists in kicking his pet dog on the sly.

No Loss
How do you feel about woman suffrage?
Well, I am willing that a woman should vote if she wants to, but she can't vote and have my seat in the street car too.
Well, as she seldom gets your seat I suppose that she won't lose anything by voting.

The Only Way
Binks looks downhearted this morning. He has just found out that he must marry.
Marry? Binks?
Why, how is that?
His father gave him notice this morning that he would no longer support him.

Smart Landlady
She always tries to have her boarders meet a lot of pretty girls.
Why?
She says a young man never eats much when he is in love.



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PEKIN MOURNS DEAD EMPRESS

Impressive Ceremonies Held Outside the City Attended by Chinese and Foreigners

Peking, China.—A large continuous stream of foreigners and Chinese have attended the memorial service for the late dowager empress. On the center span of the marble bridge outside the Tienan gate is a temporary pavilion of imperial yellow silk, decorated with flowers. The pavilion contains the dowager's portrait and sacrificial utensils. Here the general public performs sacrifices to the empress' memory, while on the road vast crowds stand gazing.

Passing the Tienan and Tuan gates, both beautifully decorated with flowers and shells enumerating the virtues of the dead, visitors enter a second enclosure by passing over the central marble bridge. They then face the Wu gate, under the center of which hangs the dowager's portrait, the work of a celebrated Chinese artist.

In front of and beneath the portrait is the dragon throne, typifying the departed grandeur both of the dowager and the dynasty. The throne stands at the rear of a dais, the ceilings and sides of which are gorgeously bellowed and beflagged. Above the dais are four characters signifying that the dowager was one among the women fitting to rank with the two first great Chinese emperors. To the right and some yards distant from the dais is a yellow-draped platform, on which are monks and priests, whose solemn and impressive dirges alternate with the louder and less penetrating strains of a Chinese band similarly situated to the left of the dais.

Ascending the steps to the right of the Wu gate is a constant stream of Chinese Manchus, Mongols, Mahomedans and Tibetans. Removing their head coverings they halt before the portrait, bow thrice, and pass on. Foreigners are diverted to the left outside the line of mourners.

The central figure on the dais are Prince Puiun, robed in white sheepskin, and also a Mongolian buddha, who with members of the funeral committee, addressed the throng, eulogizing the dowager. Looking backward from the Wu gate one sees an interesting concourse, principally of Chinese and Manchus, men, women and children, in resplendent attire, while groups of white-robed eunuchs stand silent and sullen as though resenting the public participation in the funeral ceremonies of the last reigning adult of the Manchu dynasty on which they bled.

POPULAR YOUNG FARMER TALKS

TELLS WHAT DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS DID FOR HIM

He's Back at Work Again, After Suffering from the Pains, Nervousness and Depression that Only Kidney Disease Can Bring.

Point Alexander, Ont., (Special).—Mr. D. A. Francare, a well-known and popular young farmer, living near here, who has been a sufferer from kidney disease for some time past, is back at work again, and he says, without hesitation, that his cure is due to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I was always tired and nervous," Mr. Francare says, in speaking of his illness. "I suffered from backache and neuralgia, and my sleep was broken and unrefreshing. My eyes were puffed and there were dark red circles around them. "My muscles would cramp. I felt heavy and sleepy, afterwards, and I was depressed and low-spirited, while shortness of breath and dizzy spells served to make life yet more miserable for me."

"I was always thirsty; my limbs were heavy; and I had a dragging sensation across the loins."

"My symptoms led me to believe I had kidney disease, and I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. I have taken eight boxes in all, and I am very grateful for the benefit I have received from them."

If the disease is of the kidneys or from the kidneys, Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure it.

GUN PRACTICE FROM AIRSHIP

Trial Proves Conclusively that it can be Done With Effect

Berlin, Germany.—Shots were fired from machine guns on the upper deck (the top of the gas envelope) of the new German airship Zeppelin airship Z 4 during a war office trial trip near Friedrichshafen, recently.

Although the wind was blowing at forty-one miles an hour the gun practice was carried out to the satisfaction of a military commission. An official communiqué, which describes the event as of "epoch-making importance," states that the trial proves conclusively that it is possible to work comfortably and with accuracy with machine guns, from the decks of Zeppelin airships. Captain von Puteau the naval expert of the Taegliche Rundschau, states that there is room for six machine guns on the top of a Zeppelin airship.

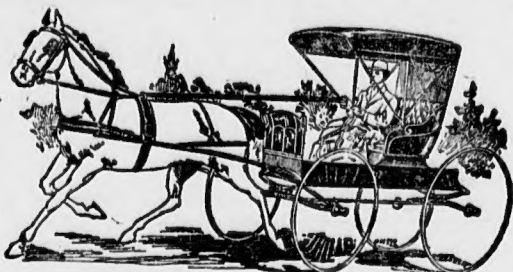
The Vossische Zeitung states that the greater part of the \$5,000,000 shortly to be provided for the German air fleet will be devoted to building, with all possible speed, ten airships of the Zeppelin type. It is expected that five of the vessels will be incorporated in the air fleet by the middle of this year. The German admiralty is extending its system of waterplane stations. It is proposed to establish ten—six on the North sea coast and four on the Baltic.

Bad Eggs by the Ton
London.—According to the report of the Bermondsey public health committee one of the council's inspectors has destroyed more than four and a half tons of bad eggs during the last fortnight.

Work for the night is coming, since the song, but most of us work for the check that's coming.



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<p>The Test Has she a good husband? You bet. How good is he? For any reasonable amount at the bank.</p>	<p>Clever Bell Bell is learning dressmaking. Is she? Yes. In order to make her own clothes, I suppose. Not at all. In order to earn money enough to hire a modiste to make them for her.</p>
<p>Hard on Brown Brown has sold that auto of his. Yes, and also sold the man who bought it, I should say. Do you suppose he can collect on both sales? Not if the buyer discovers the second sale before he settles for the first.</p>	<p>Makes us Honest Before the penny slot machine Put matches in our way An honest man in other things For matches wouldn't pay.</p>
<p>The man who keeps his friends guessing should be considerate enough to offer a prize for the correct solution.</p>	<p>Nothing for It This hot weather is intolerable. But think how much we need it! Need it! Huh! Sure, man! For the corn crop. What do I care about the corn crop? I am a coal dealer.</p>
<p>She is the very last word in pretty girls. Oh, I don't know. But she is hand painted.</p>	<p>If there were a credit man to pass upon the conversational soundness of people how many would go into bankruptcy at once?</p>

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breeders are honorable, many are
procrastinating, some are negligent,
and a few are downright dishonest.

In order to protect themselves
against loss at the hands of the pro-
crastinating and negligent, buyers
of pure bred animals will do well
when dealing with breeders of whose
honesty they have no knowledge, to
withhold a part of the purchase
money till the pedigree is supplied
or at least deposit it in a bank to be
paid upon delivery of proper certi-
ficate of registration. This can be
done without exposing either buyer
or seller to any risk and is perfect-
ly fair to both. My experience of
bank managers is that they are al-
ways willing to perform this service
for the protection of their patrons.

As a rule the buyer pays over his
money or writes his cheque for the
full amount at the time of purchas-
ing and the seller promises to for-
ward a pedigree as soon as possible,
then after a year or more of waiting
he wakes up to the fact that he has
been "done." Sometimes he has
sold the progeny of these animals
with a promise to supply pedigrees
and he finds himself exposed to the
danger, not only of disgrace, but
also of an action for damages. Now
all of this could easily have been
avoided by the exercise of a little
caution at the time of buying.

The time of year is at hand when
every person, who contemplates
buying a pure bred animal should
keep in mind the warning contain-
ed in our opening sentence, that the
time to pay for a pedigree is when
it is delivered.

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FOURTH—For the broad vision-
ed business intelligence that comes
from active participation.

FIFTH—For the satisfaction of
that spirit of progress which is un-
doubtedly the measure of good citi-
zenship.

SIXTH—For the civic pride that
should be one of the chiefest pos-
sessions of a citizen.

SEVENTH—For the duty every
man owes to the town and district
in which he lives and in which his
success or the success of his business
is proportionate to that of the town
and district.

EIGHTH—For the chance it gives
him of learning the best interests
of the farmers, ranchers and busi-
ness people.

Farmer Must Pay Damages for Allowing Weeds to Grow

Mr. Justice Walsh handed down
his decision in the Claresholm case
of Fliton vs. Stange, and it consti-
tutes one of the most important
judgments ever given in Alberta in
view of its far reaching effects.

The case was tried at the assize
court last week, Fliton bringing
action against his neighbor Stange
for damages for allowing wild must-
ard to grow unrestrained on his
farm, thus causing it to spread, in-
flicting heavy damages on the plain
tiff. Both parties are farmers in
the Claresholm district.

Heretofore the blame for all this
kind of damage has been placed on
the weed inspectors, but the plain-
tiff found that the law placed the
obligation on the farmer to suppress
the weed nuisance, and he entered
action for damages. The trial of the
action proved of great interest and
the plaintiff succeeded in showing

that he had sustained much damage
from the weeds.

The defence sought to disprove
responsibility. A large number of
citations were made by counsel and
judgment was reserved for a few
days. Friday the decision reached
the clerk of the court and it found
in favor of the plaintiff for the ac-
tual damage proved, \$632 and costs.

His Lordship declares in the
decision that the defendant had im-
posed upon him by the laws of Al-
berta to destroy the weeds on his
premises and he neglected to do so,
not only bringing loss to himself,
but damage to his neighbor.

Nearly every day reporters are
asked why all the police court cases
regarding social scrapes, church quarrels,
etc., etc., do not appear in these
columns? Well, now, just suppose
we reported the last week's fun in
church rag-chewing, society scrapes,
fistic encounters, bar-room social-
ology etc., etc., what would a re-
porter's life be worth??—Ex.

Recently the Bassano News be-
came quite angry that Gleichen
should dare ask the Dominion gov-
ernment to locate a customs office
here, but strange to say many peo-
ple giving their post-office address
as Bassano have signed the petition
and forwarded it to the CALL.
Monday morning's mail brought in
nine more from Bassano and thir-
teen others whose addresses are near
er to Bassano. We have no objec-
tion to letting the News man have
peep at the names of these petiti-
oners if he will apply before they are
sent on to Ottawa.

The first case of a man doing liv-
ery business without a license was
brought up last week in the town
police court and the man allowed
off with only a warning. It is
pointed out that it is quite unfair
to men paying a license to allow
others to come into town occasion-
ally and take away from others their
regular means of earning a liveli-
hood. The reason of imposing the
license is largely to protect the men
who can be depended upon at all
times, as well as to assist in the
fire protection and general up keep
of the town. It certainly does not
seem fair that men who pay taxes,
license and contribute to everything
for the benefit of the town and
district should not be protected
from outsiders dropping in casually
and taking business from them.

MISCELLANEOUS

Small Ads under this heading cost 50 cents for
first insertion and 41 per month, when more
than one item is included an additional
charge is made. Unless the number of
issues are given with each order ad-
vertisers are given until ordered and charged for in full.

FOR SALE—Eggs, Rosecomb Brown
Leghorns, Kulp's 242 egg strain, \$1.00
a sitting of fifteen; \$5.00 a hundred.
Wm. Goodwin, Box 113, Gleichen, E.
J. Sec. 12, 23, 24.




FOR SALE—Sows in farrow. M.
Brown, Namaka. 0tf

WANTED—8 head of bulls Shorthorn
or Herford breed would take one or
two head of Aberdeen Angus breed,
prefer ages 3 to 5. Must be good
stock and prices right. Quality con-
sidered. Address Walter J. McHugh
112 Ranch, Blind Creek, Alta. 9

FOR SALE—Single Buggy, almost
new. Apply to R.A. Brown, Gleichen
1f.


LEASE or FOR SALE—The north
east quarter S. 20, 22, 23, 24 miles N.
E. of Gleichen, 120 acres are ploughed
for seedling, large house and barn.
Apply to E. Griesbach. 52atf

FOR SALE—Large safe in good
condition will be sold cheap. Apply to
Emil Griesbach. 52atf

LOST—\$5 Reward per head for 20
head of light boned horses inclined
to be wild. Branded  left shoulder
or  hip or with  right or
left hip. Apply R. F. Field, 625 5th
Ave W. Calgary. 52-11

FOR SALE—Berkshire Boar, 3 1/2
years old—30. Apply to Anderson &
Nelson.—3tf.

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table, chairs, two stoves, clothes reel
and garden tools. Apply to Miss Con-
vey Gleichen. 52tf

LOST—One brown horse with white
star on forehead, branded  on left
hip also S left shoulder. Reward will
be paid for information for recovery.
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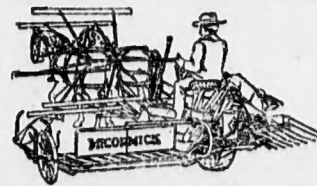
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your wants
known and we
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


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Rev. E. Cox Clark, Rector.**St. Victor's Church,** Month of May
May 1st—Ascension Day, Mass at
Ouletville and Feast of Obligation
May 2—First Friday in the month, at
8:30 a. m., Confessions and Com-
munion.May 4—Mass at Mossleigh
May 11—Pentecost Day—Mass at Glei-
chen at 10:30 a. m.
2:30 p. m.—Sunday School
3 p. m.—Meeting of the Holy Name.
May 18—Holy Trinity Sunday—Mass
at Ouletville.
May 25—Feast of Corpus Christi, Mass
at Gleichen at 10:30 a. m.
2:30 p. m.—Sunday School.
Rev. Fr. Simonin, O.M.I., P. P.**Presbyterian Services**Methodist Church
May 4—Service at 7:30 p. m.
May 11—Service at 11 a. m.
May 18—Service at 7:30 p. m.
May 25—Service at 11 a. m.
Rev. Mr. McWilliams, Minister**Methodist Services**May 4—Service at 11 a. m.
May 11—Service at 7:30 p. m.
May 18—Service at 11 a. m.
May 25—Service at 7:30 p. m.
Rev. H. L. Dougan, Pastor.**Gleichen's Meteorological Report**The following weather report is
supplied by J. W. Jovett, who is
officially appointed by the Domini-
on Government:

	MAX.	MIN.
April 30.....	42	23
May 1.....	52	18
2.....	45	28
3.....	47	25
4.....	45	30
5.....	52	25
6.....	53	29

Save money by reading J. A.
Ramsay's advertisement.**Show Day Will Soon be Here**Al G. Barnes Big Three Ring
Wild Animal Circus will give two
performances in Gleichen on Thurs-
day, June 5th.The coming of this show is elicit-
ing a great deal of interest and en-
thusiasm, not only with the little
ones but the grown-ups too.There are 350 animals with the
Al G. Barnes Circus, each of which
is a performer. Among them are
forest bred lions, twenty altogether,
a herd of elephants, a caravan of
camels, royal Bengal tigers, pumas,
bears, leopards, jaguars, hyenas,
zebras, monkeys of every known
species, dogs and ponies.More than half a hundred heart-
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lions.The one and only troupe of royal
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expenditure of \$25,000. These
man eating animals were owned
and kept for the sole pleasure of the
Maharajah of Ceylon until several
years ago.A few of the many other favorite
acts to be seen will be that of Maj.
Robert Thornton and his troupe of
bears, Capt. Stonewall and his sea
tions, Prof. Emery and his herd of
Siamese elephants, Miss Ethel
Bonde and her four educated
Arabian stallions which perform in
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and monkey; Capt. Englehart and
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ca's greatest showman". This is
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it there are no immoral exhibitions
of any kind. No thieves or crooks
are allowed to travel on anyone of
the 28 railroad cars needed to trans-
port the show.A gorgeous street parade one
mile in length headed by two
trumpeting military bands will
leave the show grounds at 10:30
o'clock on the day of the exhibition.
Performances will be given at 2 and
8 p.m. The doors are opened one
hour preceding the performance.Joseph Phillips was arrested on
Tuesday last by Sergt. Thomas and
taken before S.E. Sobey, J. P., on
two charges; first, for fishing out of
season and second for fishing with-
out a permit. A fine of \$1 and
costs was imposed on each charge.
This being the first case of the sea-
son under the fishery regulation
the justice took a lenient view of the
case and imposed a very small fine.
—Times, High River.The marriage of Miss Lilly Maud
Clark, of Brentford, England, to Mr.
H. Carreck, of Gleichen, on Wed-
nesday afternoon, May 7th, was
solemnized at St. Andrew's
church by Rev. E. Cox Clarke, with
a number of friends present. Miss
Lizzie Moss acted as bridesmaid
and Mr. George Moss as groomsmen
while Mr. Arthur Whitely gave the
bride away. The happy couple left
the church mid showers of rice for
their newly built home on Ninth
avenue, where a number of friends
that evening gave them a most
hearty clari-vi.**Coming Events.**Notices under this heading 25c a line
unless otherwise advertised in Call.
May 15—Town Court of Revision.
May 21—Horse Races at Gleichen.
May 17—"Busy Store" Special flour
Sale.
June 5—Barnes' Circus.Chief Roberts would give a friend-
ly warning in advising automobile
men to have regard for the town by
law regarding speed and signals, for
he fears some will soon be paying
fines. Many traverse our streets at
twice the speed the law permits and
few give signals at each street cross-
ing. Some of these days some one
will be killed and then someone
will be awful sorry, but that will
not help them. Our Chief is not
anxious to interfere, but he recog-
nizes that to prevent trouble he
must in future require that the law
be observed. Take a kindly warn-
ing.No less than four local fights were
reported Friday night. All the
participants are reported as enjoy-
ing. An overdose of booze seems
to have been the cause of all the
fun.**We Can**shoe your horse right or do any
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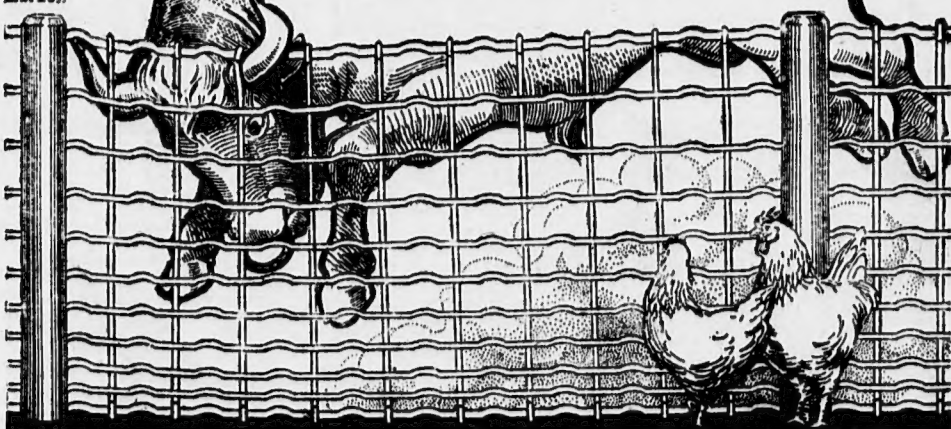
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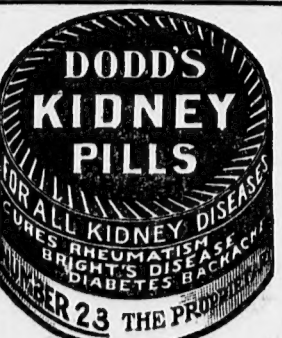
London.—After the Bishop of Grantham had concluded a confirmation service at Deeping St. James, near Peterborough, a candidate arrived who had cycled several miles and been delayed by the boisterous weather. The bishop donned his robes again and confirmed the lad, whom he afterward congratulated on his determination and pluck.

War Planes for Italy

Rome.—The Italian Trans-Aerial Society, which is building part of the aeroplanes for the army, which are being paid for out of the sum of \$600,000 subscribed for the purpose during the Tripoli war, has already delivered seven aeroplanes. The society is pledged to deliver seven monoplanes and sixteen biplanes by April.

Berlin.—The Deutsche Tageszeitung understands that the naval authorities have decided to build ten aviation stations, four of them on the Baltic and six on the North sea.

The ples the mothers used to make to eat might not be fit. But if they killed the fathers off a pleasant death was it.



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W. N. U. 946

C.P.R. Empress on Initial Trip Around the World

One of the latest additions to the magnificent fleet of steamships of the C.P.R. has commenced its first trip, starting out from Liverpool for an around the world tour. The new vessel is the much talked of Empress of Russia which will be a valuable addition to the already fine fleet of steamers now plying between Vancouver and the Orient. It was a unique idea to inaugurate this around the world trip on the initial voyage of the floating palace, instead of sending the vessel by way of Cape Horn, and needless to say the results justified the enterprise as when the Empress left the docks at Liverpool it was with a full complement of passengers, and thousands crowded the docks to bid them bon voyage. Included in the passenger list are many Canadians who left these shores a few weeks ago to be at Liverpool in time for the sailing of the Empress of Russia. The Empress of Asia follows a little later. Beyond all question the most notable merchant steamers built in the United Kingdom during the past year were the two which the Fairfield Shipbuilding and Engineering Company constructed for the C.P.R.—company's trans-pacific service, which have received the titles of the Empress of Russia and the Empress of Asia. Though outwardly the vessels are identical in appearance there is a difference in the interior work, the Empress of Russia being decorated in the French style, mainly Louis Quinze and Louis Seize, while the Empress of Asia will be representative of the English style of the Georgian period, which is particularly effective on board ship. The leading dimensions are: length 590 feet, breadth 68 feet, the depth 46 feet, the gross tonnage being in the neighborhood of 15,000. A feature which catches the eye of the man who has but a casual acquaintance with ships, is the cruiser stern, which gives a distinctly naval touch, besides conveying the idea that a fast turn of speed can be attained. In point of fact the speed will be 18 knots per hour. Accommodation has been provided for 1100 passengers in all—200 first, 100 second and 800 third class, and as the officers and crew will number 470, the total complement will be 1570. Elaborate precautions have been taken to secure the safety of all, and should any accident occur there would be little chance of the ship sinking, the vessel being provided with double the number of water tight compartments called for by the Board of Trade.

Coming to the general design, the vessels have orlop, lower, main, upper and shelter decks while above the latter is a long combined forecastle and bridge, the bridge deck being extended from stern to side stanchions. Above again there is a promenade deck 359 feet long. Here are situated the many first class rooms, including the lounge, a particularly fine room 48 feet long and 38 feet wide with a height in the centre of 14 feet. There are also writing rooms, smoking room, and veranda cafe. The vessels are fitted up in the most luxurious style and the dining room is a new departure—the tables being arranged for two and four persons while in quiet alcoves there are tables for a party of six. There is also a well equipped gymnasium and up-to-date laundry, while the kitchen and serving rooms are all that can be desired. The vessel is fitted with powerful engines and a long range Marconi system of telegraphing in addition to semaphore signalling from the bridge. The Empress of Russia is scheduled to arrive in Vancouver on June 7.

THOUGHT HUSBAND LOVER

Man Makes Mistake and Woman Pays the Penalty

Paris.—A pretty woman named Marie Anthony left her husband soon after her marriage and went to live with a lover named Parvilliers. After a time her love for her husband returned and she started to pay him clandestine visits. One day her lover met the couple arm-in-arm. The lover demanded an explanation. Mme. Anthony got into a cab and drove to her mother. She was followed by the two men who had agreed to be avenged on her for her infidelity. M. Anthony fired at his wife, wounding her in the back. The husband and the lover were tried at Seine Assizes. The wife made a tearful appeal to the jury on behalf of the prisoners, saying that it was all her fault. The charge against the husband was dismissed, but the lover was sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

KING, KAISER, AND CZAR

Meeting of Three Monarchs at the Danish Court Arranged

Berlin.—It is confirmed here that during the coming summer three of the lightest rulers in Europe—King George V, the Kaiser and the Czar—will meet at the Danish court. The royal gathering will be of extraordinary interest and importance, as it is not merely due to a wish to renew family ties. It will have considerable political importance. It is understood that each ruler will be accompanied by a leading responsible statesman. Although the meeting will not affect the existing European system of alliances and ententes, it is expected that the conversations that will take place will have an important bearing on the new near eastern military situation and on the development of commercial relations.

Poisoned Dates by Mail

Paris.—Mlle. Marthe Berge, a young artist, has been arrested in Paris on a charge of attempting to poison a woman named Llopet. Mme. Llopet recently received through the post a box of dates, which she thought was a present from a friend. She tasted one of the dates and was seized with agonizing pains, but recovered after an antidote. A poisonous compound of copper had been introduced into the dates.

Men are not supposed to have much curiosity, but did you ever see one who didn't wonder what he was going to have for dinner?**TICKLE YOUR LAND WITH A****COCKSHUTT PLOW**

AND IT WILL SMILE A BUMPER CROP

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It's cheaper to raise colts than to buy horses. But it's really *cheaper* to keep a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure handy. For thirty-five years has proved it the safe, reliable remedy for spavin, splint, curb, ringbone, bony growths and lameness from other causes.

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Dr. B. J. Kendall Company 72
Essex Falls, Vermont U. S. A.

PATIENTS WANT RADIUM

London Hospitals Appeal to Nation for Money to Secure Supply

London, England.—A week ago it was announced that 500 milligrammes of radium were lying in a safe at the British Radium Corporation offices, while five London hospitals were making pitiful appeals for more adequate supplies. To quote Doctor Lazarus-Barlow, of the Middlesex Hospital, cancer laboratories, the huge majority of our unfortunate patients have to die simply because we have not the radium which would at least relieve their pain, and might in all probability effect a cure in a good proportion of the cases.

The 500 milligrammes will soon be 800 milligrammes, the corporation expecting an additional 300, and there is a grave danger that the whole quantity may be sold to Japan and scores of men and women suffering from the horrors of cancer will be left to die in London.

There is only a very limited quantity of radium in the whole world, but happily it can be used again and again. As Doctor Lazarus-Barlow stated, more than a thousand years pass before its powers fall 50 per cent.

It is therefore evident that if these 800 milligrammes are purchased for the London hospitals, the beneficent work will go on for many years and even many generations to come, and the philanthropist who secured the radium would be earning for himself the grateful blessing of thousands of his less fortunate brethren.

It is estimated that \$64,000 is required to buy the whole supply. When it is remembered how much anguish can be relieved and how much despair can be changed to hope, this is surely a small enough sum.

At the Middlesex Hospital, the London Hospital, the Cancer Hospital, the Metropolitan Hospital and St. John's Hospital for Diseases of the Skin physicians are forced to stand idly by and watch the ravages of disease which at least they could stay if this radium were taken from the office safe and divided among them.

The hospitals cannot buy it themselves. They have not the money. Who will help? The necessity is urgent. There must be many rich men and women whose sympathies will be touched and whose check books will be opened.

Muscular Rheumatism Subdued.—When one is a sufferer from muscular rheumatism he cannot do better than to have the region rubbed with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. There is no oil that so speedily shows its effect in subduing pain. Let the rubbing be brisk and continue until ease is secured. There is more virtue in a bottle of it than can be fully estimated.

Some People Would

I have nothing to worry about. Think not, do you? You are not enterprising. No, or you'd worry about that.

All men may be free and equal by a mere matter of birth but woman has to scheme for her freedom, and she doesn't care to be just equal to that woman down the block.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

Mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when it enters the blood. It is through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from a reputable physician, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by F. J. Cheney & Co., for catarrh.

Centenarians Walk to the Poll

Geneva.—Giacomo Masciolini, 106 years old, and Luigi Pongelli, aged 100, walked three and four miles respectively to record their votes at the Swiss parliamentary elections at Ticino.

Royal Residence for Sale

London.—Messrs Trollope have been instructed to sell by auction Osborne Cottage, East Cowes, the residence of Princess Henry of Battenberg. The house has beautiful gardens and extensive stabling.

There's always a dark side to the silver lining. Even the fellow who keeps smiling is liable to have to be operated on for smilitis.

The successful politician seldom boasts of the things he is going to do. He prefers to let his enemies howl over the things he has done.



One of the finest stretches of rock ballasting on the entire C.P.R. system is the sixty-five miles which has just been completed east from Vancouver. The work has been pronounced by railway experts to be second to none on the North American continent. The accompanying views give a splendid idea of what the completed road-bed is. The ballast which is crushed rock from the C.P.R. rock crushing plant at Nicomen is placed in the centre of the track and on the ties by centre-dumping, hopper-bottom cars. The track is then lifted and the rock ballast tamped into place between the ties. The crushed rock under the ties averages from eight to twelve inches in thickness. This type of ballast is ideal for a wet climate as it is readily drained and easily maintained in good line and surface. Experts declare that this kind of ballasting increases the comfort of the traveller greatly. Miles of crushed rock ballast are being laid on C.P.R. western lines. For twenty-four miles out of Vancouver the main line of the C.P.R. is double tracked and in operation. Sixty miles of double track construction work is in progress now and of this twenty-five miles from New Westminster Junction to Mission Junction to Ruby Creek will be finished by early fall. When double track work is completed and the line ballasted with crushed rock, there will be no finer piece of rail line in the country.

REPLENISH YOUR BLOOD IN THE SPRING

Just now you are feeling "out of sorts"—not your usual self. Quite exhausted at times and cannot devote real energy to your work. Sleep does not rest you and you wake up feeling "all tired out." Perhaps rheumatism is lying through your muscles and joints, or maybe your skin is disfigured by rashes, boils or pimples. Headaches, twinges of neuralgia, fits of nervousness, irritability of temper and a disordered stomach often increase your discomfort in the spring.

The cause—winter has left its mark on you. These troubles are signs that your blood is poor and watery, that your nerves are exhausted. You must renew and enrich your blood at once and restore tone to your tired nerves, or there may be a complete breakdown. The most powerful remedy for these spring ailments in men, women and children is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, because these Pills cleanse bad blood and strengthen weak nerves.

New, rich, red blood—your greatest need in spring—is plentifully created by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and with this new, pure blood in your veins you quickly regain health and increase your strength. Then your skin becomes clear, your eyes bright, your nerves strong, and you feel better, eat better, sleep better, and are able to do your work.

Begin your spring tonic treatment to-day for the blood and nerves with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—the Pills that strengthen.

These Pills are sold by most dealers, but do not be persuaded to take "something just the same." If you can't get the genuine Pills from your dealer they will be sent you by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

If it were not for the telephone many a woman would have to go to the missionary meeting to find out how Mrs. Blank's sick baby is.

A woman may not be afraid of a mouse and still not be able to bear all the burdens the opposite sex insist upon relieving her weakened sister from.

Men are not vain. Still, if you want to make a hit don't intimate that any particular man is developing a bald spot.



For thoroughly cleansing baths and sinks. And it does not hurt the hands like most cleansing powders and soaps. It leaves them smooth and soft. Get a Can To-day. Save the Coupon. Soap Company Limited, Montreal

Suspended Animation

I was walking down a street once, said the hypnotist, when I saw a man just in front of whom I wished to speak. So I just straightened out my arm, concentrated my will, made a pass—thus—and the man stopped instantly, and waited till I overtook him.

Well, you don't call that much of a trick, do you? said one of his listeners. Personally I call it a very fair demonstration, affirmed the hypnotist. But perhaps you are not familiar with the science?

No, I can't say I am, replied the other, who happened to be an American, though one day while I was walking in New York I saw a man slip, and fall from the top of a sixteen storey building. When he had got about half way down, I made a pass just as you did, and he stopped falling instantly. However, being busy at the time I went on without thinking any more about it; which reminds me—next time you're in New York, you might look out for him and rescue him!

ATTACKED BY A LION

Young Man Anxious to Display Courage Has Close Call

Hamburg.—A large crowd of visitors to Carl Hagenbeck's zoological park where the animals are kept in large enclosures under conditions as natural as possible, witnessed a terrifying scene.

The master of the entrance to the lions' section, named Elfort, went into the enclosure to display his courage. A lion sprang at him, and he fell senseless. The other lions became wild, but were kept back by the keepers firing into the air. Efforts were made to frighten the attacking lion, but it had to be shot dead. Elfort was then carried to the hospital.

Swimming in Be.

Cork.—A great vat of porter burst at the Ladyswell Brewery Cork, on Thursday and the contents swept in a flood through the brewery yard. A workman had to swim through the escaping liquid to save himself from drowning.

Why suffer from corns when they can be painlessly rooted out by using Holloway's Corn Cure.

Leopard Shooting in a Garden

Paris.—M. Louis Coquerit, who lives at Corbell, was taking a stroll in his garden last evening, when he saw two yellow shining eyes glaring at him from a bush. He fetched an old gun from his dining room and fired two shots at the eyes. To his amazement a leopard, which had escaped from a menagerie, fell dead.

Stockholm.—The directors of the North Swedish Bank at Afta, Sweden, have concluded a contract with a number of firms for printing advertisements of their goods on the backs of banknotes.



It's the CLEANEST, SIMPLEST, and BEST HOME DYE, one can buy—Why don't you even have to know what KIND of Cloth your Goods are made of.—So Mistakes are Impossible. Send for Free Color Card, Story Booklet, and Booklet giving results of Dyeing over other colors. The JOHNSON-RICHARDSON CO., Limited, Montreal, Canada.

Long Wearing GLOVES

If you are looking for a pair of gloves that are as tough as a Mexican Snake whip and that will give you full satisfaction or a new pair free ask your dealer for

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Expedition of a Duke

Rome.—The Duke of Montpensier, brother of the Duke of Orleans, left Naples in the yacht Mekong for Brindisi. It is alleged that the duke is taking arms and ammunition to southern Albania, where he intends to rouse the people and have himself proclaimed Prince of Albania.

Model Child

Bristol.—Nellie Young of Luckwell Council School, Bristol, received from the Bristol Education Committee a special silver gilt medal for nine years' attendance at school without being absent or late once.

The tactful person is one who realizes that truth is too precious to be thrown about carelessly.

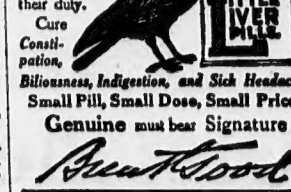
There is one thing about the southern islander—he doesn't have to worry about the price of coal.

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HOME COURSE IN SCIENTIFIC AGRICULTURE

First Article—Soil Conservation

By W. J. SPILLMAN, Agriculturist in Charge of Farm Management, Department of Agriculture.

HOW to restore and maintain the productivity of the soil is the most important phase of the conservation problem. In many of our older communities soil fertility has been reduced below the point of profitable production. National wide effort at the present time, through federal and state agency, is directed toward the restoration of fertility in these localities. In the older countries of Europe, where farming has been followed for many centuries, the problem of satisfactory yields of farm crops has been solved. The agriculture of Germany is similar to that of the United States, but the yield per acre of wheat in Germany is more than twice that in the United States, the yield of rye nearly twice as large, the yield of barley nearly a third larger and the yield of oats more than one third larger.

The proportionate area of cereals grown in Germany is about one-fifth less than in the United States, while the proportionate area of hay and forage crops is one-half greater. In addition to that, the percentage of the total area which is planted to root crops is enormously greater in Germany than in the United States. These root crops consist largely of potatoes and sugar beets, and the best German authorities estimate that at least one-third of the products of the area of these two crops is available for stock feed. They also estimate that one-third of the products of the area devoted to cereals is devoted to the feeding of domestic animals. Germany therefore devotes very much more of her soil to the production of feed for live stock than does the United States.

On the same area of farm land the German farmer maintains on the average from 30 to 75 per cent more live stock than does the American farmer. The manure from these animals is also better cared for in all European countries than it is in this country. Not



"ANIMALS WITH GOLDEN WOOL"—SHEEP MAKE THE SOIL FERTILE.

only that, the United States exports vast quantities of cottonseed meal, linseed oilmeal and other rich nitrogenous feeding stuffs, while Germany imports vast quantities of these materials. German farmers not only conserve their own natural resources, but they draw on other parts of the world to maintain the fertility of their lands. America has been mining her soil and shipping the products to Europe. In addition to the sources of fertility above given, Germany uses annually on her soil 550,000 tons of nitrate of soda, 275,000 tons of sulphate of ammonia, 1,200,000 tons of superphosphate and 1,400,000 tons of basic slag in addition to large amounts of potash salts.

We are now confronted by the same necessities that compelled the adoption of sound systems of agriculture in the old world. How shall we meet this problem?

The Solution of the Problem.

In the first place, we must increase the number of domestic animals on our farms. Where land is farmed by renters the leases must be made for longer terms, and where the renter has not the capital to provide the proper number of domestic animals these must be supplied by the landowner. The effect of live stock on the fertility of the soil needs no demonstration. It is well known to every intelligent farmer. Up to the present time, at least, no system of agriculture has been permanently profitable without the use of domestic animals as a means of maintaining the productivity of the soil. Whether such systems are possible remains to be seen.

In addition to increasing the number of domestic animals on American farms our farmers must pay more attention to leguminous crops and to other crops which provide a supply of humus for the soil. Legumes, such as clover, peas, alfalfa, etc., are especially important because of the fact that with the aid of certain soil bacteria they are able to draw their supply of nitrogen from the air. Having thus an unlimited supply of this valuable plant food constituent, they become very rich in nitrogen. The stubble and roots of a

leguminous crop frequently leave in the soil sufficient nitrogen for the needs of the crop that follows. Recent investigations by the department of agriculture in Kansas and Nebraska show that the average increase in the yield of corn grown after alfalfa, compared with corn grown after nonleguminous crops, is 75 per cent. A good crop of clover has a similar effect on the yield of crops which follow it. Instances are known where the practice of sowing bur clover in cotton fields in the fall of the year and turning it under in spring in time for another crop of cotton has in three years doubled the yield of cotton. Crimson clover sown in a similar manner between crops of corn has in a few years increased the yield of corn 50 per cent or more.

The reason these leguminous crops have such a marked effect on fertility in many cases on depleted soils lies in the fact that nitrogen is not a constituent of the soil proper, but only of the decaying plant and animal matter in the soil. When soils are farmed for many years without any attention to their fertility this organic matter is rotted out and the nitrogen disappears. Hence nitrogen is nearly always the first plant food constituent to become deficient in the soil.

The fact has already been referred to that we export a large proportion of our cottonseed meal, oilmeal and other rich nitrogenous feeding stuffs. These materials are all exceedingly rich in nitrogen. They should be kept at home, fed to live stock and the manure returned to the land.

Dependence on Our Own Resources.

There is this difference between our situation and that of the older countries of Europe: Hitherto we have been exporters of our feedstuffs rich in fertilizer constituents, while they have been importers. They have been drawing on the newly settled regions of the world for materials with which to feed their crops. The American farmer will be making a long step forward when he quits exporting these materials and returns them to his own soil. Whatever shortages there may be must be made up by the intelligent use of commercial fertilizers. There is no danger of a nitrogen famine. We can grow leguminous crops to supply nitrogen. We can also, by judicious use of the refuse from grain and other crops and by the use of intelligently planned crop rotations with occasional catch crops for green manure, keep up an abundant supply of humus. Even if we had no other resources for maintaining the fertility of the soil than leguminous plants and humus making crops we could on much of the land in this country maintain a much higher standard of yields than obtains at the present time.

Examples of Successful Farming.

In New York state there are large areas of land which formerly produced satisfactory crops, but which in recent years have been reduced in fertility to the point where their cultivation is no longer profitable by the methods in vogue in that section. A few years ago a representative of the department of agriculture induced a farmer in that section to grow four acres of potatoes under his direction. This farmer had been growing potatoes for many years, using seed which had been grown for sixty years in that locality without selection to maintain its quality. His ordinary yields of potatoes were about forty bushels per acre. He was induced to secure new and improved seed and to cultivate in the most thorough manner. As a result these four acres produced a yield of 250 bushels of potatoes per acre. Similar results have since been secured by a number of other farmers in the same locality.

An Illinois farmer a good many years ago established on his farm a rotation of corn, corn, oats, clover. The corn and oats were fed to hogs, which were allowed to graze on the clover. Very little feed was purchased, but everything raised on the farm was converted into manure and returned to the land. At the beginning of this system of farming the yield of corn was about thirty-five bushels to the acre. Ten years later it had risen to eighty bushels per acre, the average yield for four consecutive years being 80.4 bushels per acre.

A Missouri farm which had been devoted to corn and wheat for seventy years and on which the yields of wheat were about eight bushels per acre and corn about twenty-five bushels was subjected to a system of farming similar to that just described for an Illinois farm. In six years the yields of this farm were more than doubled. In work of this character the following points are emphasized:

Deep fall preparation of the soil. Planting of well selected seed. Mainly shallow and frequent cultivation of the crop during the growing season and especially after a rain. The judicious use of commercial fertilizers and the increased use of home produced fertilizers and the growing of leguminous crops.

DON'TS.

Don't blame it on the hens when the egg record drops. A sudden change of feed is good knock-out drops.

Don't forget that you are manager. Whether a gun shoots straight depends on the man behind the gun. Whether a hen lays and pays depends on the man behind the hen.

Don't feed a certain grain because it is plentiful and cheap. Such false economy neither works with hens nor men.

Don't expect wonders your first year with poultry. You may meet with some reverses, but they are not always curses.

HIS SELF CONTROL

He Proved It to His Own but Not His Family's Satisfaction.

Mr. Brown was excited by nature, but he often prided himself audibly upon his self control. One night while the family were gathered at the tea table the chimney began to roar. The furnace draft had been opened and forgotten. Straightway a panic ensued. "Don't lose your heads—keep cool!" cried Mr. Brown. "It's nothing serious."

He dashed up the stairs, discovered that the metal cap over the only unused stovepipe hole was already red hot, and dashed down again faster than he went up.

"Keep cool!" he gasped as he passed through the room where the family had gathered in nervous apprehension. "I'll be back in a minute."

He was back in less than that time, having observed that the flames were spouting several feet high from the chimney and that a shower of sparks was falling upon the roof.

"Where's the stepladder?" he panted.

He was gone before any one could answer the question and presently was heard bellowing from the roof of the wood shed. He presented a heroic figure in the glare of the blazing chimney.

"I've got one end of the hose," he called. "Some one attach the other end and turn on the water—quick!"

Two long minutes passed.

"Why doesn't some one do as I ordered?" he thundered. "Do you want the place to burn up?"

"We can't, Henry," called Mrs. Brown tremblingly. "You haven't got the hose. You've got the cow rope. It was hanging next to the hose in the shed, and anyway the roof is covered with ice, and I don't think there's any great danger outside. You'd better go and watch the chimney from the inside."

A half hour later the family were again at the tea table.

"If this had happened in some homes," remarked Mr. Brown, "the family would have lost their heads completely and sent in an alarm. Self control is an excellent thing and far from common."

"Indeed, it is," agreed Mrs. Brown emphatically.—Youth's Companion.

FREAKS OF NATURE

A Tree That Throws Somersaults and a Waterfall Reversed.

A tree gone mad and a waterfall that falls up instead of down are among the strange things to be seen in Hawaii, as described by John Burroughs in the Century Magazine:

"Nature in the tropics, left to herself, is harsh, aggressive, savage; looks as though she wanted to hang you with her dangling ropes or impale you on her thorns or engulf you in her ranks of gigantic ferns. Her mood is never as placid and sane as in the north. There is a tree in the Hawaiian woods that suggests a tree gone mad. It is called the hau tree. It lies down, squirms and wriggles all over the ground like a wounded snake. It gets up and then takes to earth again. Now it wants to be a vine; now it wants to be a tree. It throws somersaults, it makes itself into loops and rings, it rolls, it reaches, it doubles upon itself. Altogether it is the craziest vegetable growth I ever saw."

"It was near Pali that I saw what I had never seen or heard of before—a waterfall reversed, going up instead of down. It suggested Stockton's story of negative gravity. A small brook comes down off the mountain and attempts to make the leap down a high precipice, but the winds catch it and carry it straight up in the air like smoke. It is translated; it becomes a mere wreath hovering above the beetling crag. Night and day this goes on, the wind snatching from the mountain in this summary way the water it has brought them."

Lucky Thirteenth.

A woman who sets particular store by the thirteenth superstition surprised her friends by accepting an invitation to a luncheon where there were to be thirteen guests.

"I will be late," she said, "for I shall make it a point to be the thirteenth person to enter the room. That is a funny thing about thirteen. Many accidents have happened to parties thirteen in number, but investigation has shown that while the other twelve persons suffered more or less the thirteenth person who joined the company always escaped unharmful."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Twentieth Century Definitions.

A witty judge of the municipal court of Boston stoutly declared that "a patriot was a man who refused to button his wife's lingerie waist."

"A martyr," he went on, "is one who attempts and fails, while a hero tries and succeeds."

"Then what is a coward?" asked a curious bystander.

"Oh, a coward," replied the judge, "is a man who remains single so he won't have to try."—Youth's Companion.

Not Unlikely.

"Well, my boy," said the visitor to Bobby, "I suppose some day you expect to step into your father's shoes?"

"Oh, I suppose so," said Bobby gloomily. "I been wearin' out every thing else he wears since mother learned how to cut 'em down for me."—Harper's Weekly.

Information Wanted.

"Pop, I want to ask you something."

"What is it, my child?"

"Do they make airplanes go with fly wheels?"—Baltimore American.

LIVE STOCK NOTES.

A disinfectant should be used in the barn from time to time. Remember that cleaning the stables means more now than it used to.

No matter how well bred a cow may be she cannot produce milk at a profit when given only a maintenance ration.

Dirty pails cause much sickness among the calves.

Make your stock reach maturity without being stunted. If an animal is worth keeping at all it is worth keeping well.

The silo is a time saver when it comes to feeding a large number of animals.

Many farmers will let the steer trample \$100 worth of feed into the mud rather than spend \$25 for a feed rack.

BROOD SOW MANAGEMENT.

Feeding Methods That Result in Strong and Healthy Litters.

To produce strong, healthy litters it is not only necessary that the sows be fed correctly upon feeds that furnish sufficient muscle, bone and energy making materials, but that they be handled wisely during the period of gestation.

The mother sow needs food for three important purposes—first, for her own maintenance; second, for growth on her own body and, third, for the nourishment of the fetal pigs. Corn lacks muscle and bone formers and in addition is too concentrated—not bulky enough for breeding sows. Tankage, meat meal, linseed oil meal, skim milk, buttermilk, bran, oats, middlings, shorts, soy beans, clover and alfalfa are the logical supplements to corn in the middle west. At the Iowa station we have found that most excellent rations for gilts carrying litters are:

First.—Corn, 85 to 90 per cent; meat meal or tankage containing 60 per cent protein, 10 or 12 per cent.

Second.—Corn, 75 per cent; finely cut clover or alfalfa, 25 per cent.

Third.—Corn, 80 per cent; oats, chopped clover or alfalfa, 10 per cent; meat meal or tankage, 10 per cent.

For old sows the proportion of meat meal or tankage can be cut down practically one-third to two-fifths and still get excellent results.

Stronger, healthier litters having more hair, more color and more bone have been the result whenever we added a suitable protein and ash supplement to corn. When we selected our supplements wisely we also got cheaper pigs. At present prices for purchased protein and ash supplements, meat meal and tankage are our cheapest sources.

Above all things, excepting the food supply only, an abundance of exercise is most important. All classes of pig-



The Tamworth hog is a bacon producer and with the Yorkshire is considered the best breed for that purpose. These breeds are distinguished from the so-called lard hog in that they are more prolific, better foragers and, it is said, are less susceptible to cholera and other swine diseases. Bacon breeds are the result of methods of feeding and breeding. They grow rapidly in size, but do not lay on fat like the lard types. Their large size, with long and deep bodies, indicates their bacon producing ability and capacity to easily carry large litters. The boar shown is a good specimen of the Tamworth.

nant animals do well only when abundant opportunity for exercise is allowed. The general tone and vigor of the mother is reflected in the offspring. The better the general health and condition of the dam the stronger and more vigorous the young. Range on pasture is perhaps the best of all. Allow the sows to follow cattle for a while, but be sure to remove them when they tend to become clumsy and heavy. Scatter the feed over the ground, such as sheep oats, soy bean hay, etc., and let the sows gather it. Feed on the side of the field opposite the sleeping bunks. Allow hay in racks, the eating at which is conducive to light exercise. Shut the sows from the houses in the middle of the day rather than allow them to huddle up and snooze peacefully. Schemes to induce exercise cost little, yet the returns are considerable.

Warmth, dryness, ventilation and sunlight are the essentials of an ideal hog house. Such conducive conditions can be secured with a little forethought. Good dry bedding is needed and to be kept dry must be changed regularly.

Laxativeness of the bowels is highly desirable, as costiveness is a menace. Plenty of exercise combined with laxative feeds such as tankage, oilmeal, bran, alfalfa, hay, etc., will largely solve the problem. However, if it does not a week before farrowing an emergency remedy of an ounce of epsom salts per hundred pounds of hog will help considerably.—Professor J. M. Eyward, Iowa Station.

The Horse's Stable.

A stable where manure will freeze during the night is no place to keep a horse. Keep the stable clean and dry or you may have thrush attacking the horse's hind feet, which should never rest in foul, black liquid or wet manure.

SAVED HIS CABLE TOLLS.

A Clever Ruse at Home Gave Him the Information He Wanted.

A wealthy merchant in Paris who does an extensive business with Japan was informed that a prominent firm in Yokohama had failed, but the name of the firm he could not learn. He could have learned the truth by cabling; but, to save expense, instead he went to a well known banker who had received the news and requested him to reveal the name of the firm.

"That's a very delicate thing to do," replied the banker, "for the news is not official, and if I gave you the name I might incur some responsibility."

The merchant argued, but in vain, and finally he made this proposition:

"I will give you," he said, "a list of ten firms in Yokohama, and I will ask you to look through it and then tell me, without mentioning any name, whether or not the name of the firm which has failed appears in it. Surely you will do that for me."

"Yes," said the banker, "for if I do not mention any name I cannot be held responsible in any way."

The list was made. The banker looked through it and as he handed it back to the merchant said, "The name of the merchant who has failed is there."

"Then I've lost heavily," replied the merchant, "for that is the firm with which I did business," showing him a name on the list.

"But how do you know that is the firm which has failed?" asked the banker in surprise.

"Very easily," replied the merchant. "Of the ten names on the list only one is genuine, that of the firm with which I did business. All the others are fictitious."

THE HUMAN FACTORY.

Its Machinery Develops With the Intellect That Directs It.

A human being is a kind of factory. The engine and the works and all the various machines are kept in the basement, and he sends down orders to them from time to time, and they do the work which has been conceived up in headquarters. He expects the works down below to keep on doing these things without his taking any particular notice of them, while he occupies his mind, as the competent head of a factory should, with the things that are new and different and special and that his mind alone can do; the things which, at least in their present initial formative or creative stage, no machines as yet have been developed to do and which can only be worked out by the man up in the headquarters himself, personally, by the handwork of his own thought.

The more a human being develops the more delicate, sensitive, strong and efficient, the more spirit informed, once for all, the machines in the basement are. As he grows the various subconscious arrangements for discriminating, assimilating, classifying material, for pumping up power, light and heat to headquarters, all of which can be turned on at will, grow more masterful every year. They are found all slaving away for him, dimly, down in the dark while he sleeps. They hand him up in his very dreams new and strange powers to live and to know with.—Gerald Stanley Lee in Atlantic Magazine.

The German Empire.

The German empire was constituted as at present Jan. 1, 1871. After preliminary negotiations during the course of the Franco-Prussian war the parliament of the north German confederation (with which Baden, Hesse-Darmstadt, Bavaria and Wurttemberg had recently allied themselves) in an address dated Dec. 10, 1870, requested King William of Prussia to become German emperor. All the sovereign princes of German states and the three free and Hanseatic towns having joined in offering the imperial crown, the proclamation of William I. as emperor was made at Versailles Jan. 18, 1871. The first Reichstag was opened at Berlin March 25, and the imperial constitution was adopted April 14, 1871.—Philadelphia Press.

Not So Serious.

A doctor who had been summoned hastily alighted from his carriage to find a woman awaiting him on the doorstep, but without the anxious look he expected in the circumstances. "I understand," he said, "that your boy has swallowed a sovereign. Where is he?"

"Oh, sir," was the reply, "I'm glad to tell you we made a mistake! It wasn't a sovereign; it was only a half-penny!"—London Mail.

A Good Excuse.

"Now, then," demanded Luschman's wife the next morning, "what's your excuse for coming home in that condition last night?"

"Well, to tell you the truth, m' dear," he replied, "none of the hotels would take me in."—Philadelphia Press.

A Big Difference.

"How rejoiced the knights of old were when they got their lady's glove!" "And how mean they look now when their girl gives them the mitten!"—Baltimore American.

Never a Near Relative.

"Pa, who is Mrs. Grundy?" "She is an old lady who is always supposed to belong to some other man's family."—Chicago Record-Herald.

His Mistake.

Fogg—I understand Dobson married a rich widow. Fenderson—So he understood, too, but it proves to be a misunderstanding.—Boston Transcript

OCEAN SPECTERS.

Phantom Craft That Are Said to Haunt the High Seas.

A CURIOUS ENGLISH RECORD.

The Log of the Warship Bacchante Under Date of July 11, 1831, Bore the Entry, "Flying Dutchmen Crossed Our Bows"—The Goblin Ship.

There are numerous legends and stories of ghostly vessels that roam the briny deep, and many hard headed mariners, free from the common superstition of the ordinary sailor, stoutly maintain that they have at least once in their maritime career encountered what was undoubtedly a phantom ship.

Best known of those mysterious craft that haunt the high seas is, of course, the famous Flying Dutchman, or phantom ship of Vanderdecken. How the story originated is doubtful, but it has been ascertained that there was a seaman of repute who many years ago sailed from Holland to the east via the Cape of Good Hope, but was never again heard of.

Some authorities say that, meeting with contrary winds off the cape, he swore a terrible oath, in consequence of which the divine wrath decreed that he should be occupied till the crack of doom in endeavoring to weather the headland. Others state that this punishment was meted out to him in retribution for a terrible murder he committed before commencing his fateful voyage.

Whatever the cause of this ancient gentleman's monotonous wandering may be, it is probably in connection with him that the most authentic and cold blooded record of any phantom exists either about or ashore, for it is stated that in the log of H. M. S. Bacchante while on a voyage round the world with the little prince in 1831, there appears on July 11 the entry, "Flying Dutchmen crossed our bows." The log book of one of the then largest of her majesty's warships is certainly the very last place to expect to find that which is generally associated with the hysterical of either sex.

During January, 1847, a vessel left New Haven, Conn., on her maiden voyage, but was never again heard of. In the following June, just before the hour of sunset and after a severe thunderstorm, the missing ship was seen sailing up the river. The inhabitants, taking their evening stroll, were overjoyed at her return, but the most observant of them noticed that there was something uncanny about her, especially in that she appeared to be sailing up against the wind.

Then, to the consternation of all, she gradually faded away before their eyes and entirely disappeared. We may be assured that there were not waiting those who maintained that the vessel in spirit had paid a last visit to her port before resting for good on the ocean bed.

In the "Chronicles of the St. Lawrence," by Le Maine, it is recorded that on a certain day in the year a phantom ship is seen off Cap d'Espoir, in Gaspé bay. Lights are seen aboard her, and her decks are crowded with men. The foot of the bowsprit a man is conspicuously standing and facing toward the shore, with a lady clinging to his arm. Gradually the lights go out and the vessel sinks. It is said to be the ghost of the flagship of a fleet which was sent out to reduce the French forts, the vessel being lost with all hands.

To come to British waters, there are numerous instances related in local history of the visitations of ghostly vessels, the west of England, as might be expected, being most prolific in these records, says a writer in the London Globe. Indeed, Cornwall boasts of a goblin ship probably unique the world over, as she not only sails the water, but proceeds most unconcerned a good distance inland.

This is the specter ship of Porthcurno, and in Robert Hunt's book on "Romances of the West of England" are related the experiences of a local inhabitant who witnessed one of her escapades. She is described as a black square rigged single masted vessel, sometimes towing a small boat. No crew are ever seen; presumably they are down below. The personal narrative goes on to say:

"On came the craft. It passed steadily through the breakers, glided up over the sands, steadily pursued its course on the dry land as if it had been water. On it went to Bodelan, where St. Leven formerly dwelt. It then steered its course to Chyngwiden and there vanished like smoke."

An Awful Blow.

"Yes," said Silthers, "Mickley was my dearest friend, and I shall never cease to mourn his death. It was a terrible blow, from which I shall never recover."

"Why—I thought you married his widow?" said Jimpson.

"Why—er—ahem!—why, yes, I did; but!"

Here Silthers subsided into a deep and uncomfortable silence.—Harper's Weekly.

Poor Comedy.

"Why did she cut you?" "She doesn't like my comedy."

"How's that?"

"She made the statement at a party last night that she was twenty years of age, and I said, 'Yes, I know, but fifteen years ago.'"

No protecting delirium was walked in there is prudence.—Journal.

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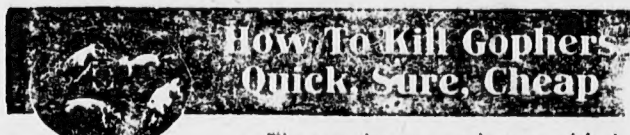
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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

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Where does Chiny and Stobart come in Empire day?

Mail order houses continue to do business, although many local merchants carry long accounts. Watch Gleichen grow!

How did Charlie find out the carriage wheels were changed? Ask the blacksmith.

Where did Uncle find the five-spot?

Ask the police if a flour check does not look like real money on the sidewalk?

Mrs. C. M. Oulten and little son returned last week from a visit to her mother at Medicine Hat. While there she was taken seriously ill, her friends will be pleased to hear of her recovery.

Harold Prestwich was the happiest man in Gleichen last Thursday—May 28—owing to a daughter arriving at his home.

Westerners await with almost as much interest the printing of the hangers announcing the Calgary industrial exhibition as they do the date of the popular annual western holiday. Those who have anticipated something striking and appropriate in hangers will not be disappointed when they see the presentation of the link between the past and the present which characterizes this year's announcement. A grey, weatherbeaten buffalo skull is shown on a black background and representing the present is the cut of a steer, the successor to the monarch of the plains. The design is a very striking one and Manager Richardson is to be congratulated on his selection of a design. June 30 to July 5 are the dates this year and those who attend are promised a full week of entertainment. There will be a splendid programme of attractions and \$22,550 is offered for races. Prize list announcing full particulars of the fair will be circulated in a few days.

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